

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 96
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14th SEPTEMBER, 2020

Strike of BPCL Employees

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पेट्रोलियम एवं प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that all the trade unions of employees of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL) went on a two day strike on 7th and 8th September 2020 in protest against the Government move for outright privatization of BPCL through strategic sale and attack on the rights of the workers; and

(b) if so, the details and Government's reaction thereto?

ANSWER

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**MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)**

(a) No Sir.

(b) As informed by BPCL, some trade unions of employees of BPCL participated in the strike on 7th and 8th September 2020 in protest against the perceived delay in the finalization of Long Term Settlement (LTS) on Wages and other matters. BPCL has informed that, product supply was uninterrupted and no dry-outs were reported from retail outlets and LPG distributorships across the country. Law and order situation across all BPCL facilities was normal and under control.
